Social Skills for Children with Autism

With Dr. Scott Bellini

This session is partnered with Baylor University, Department of Educational Psychology (EDP).



Dr. Scott Bellini is assistant director of the Indiana Resource Center for Autism and a school psychology faculty member at Indiana University, Bloomington. In addition to his work at the university, Scott operates a therapeutic clinic specializing in social skills training programming for children and adolescents on the autism spectrum. He has published numerous articles and spoken nationally on the topic of social-emotional functioning. He is also the author of the book <u>Building Social Relationships</u>.

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- Location: ESC Region 12 2101 W. Loop 340, Waco
- Time: 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- **Cost:** \$70

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Gina Holman Melba Bunch 254.297.1155 254.297.1145 gholman@esc12.net mbunch@esc12.net Dr. Bellini addresses the need for social programming for children and adolescents with ASD by providing a comprehensive model incorporating the following steps: assess social functioning, distinguish between skill acquisition and performance deficits, select intervention strategies, implement intervention, and evaluate and monitor progress. This model will show you how to make sense of the myriad of social skills strategies and resources currently available to parents and professionals. Dr. Bellini's book will be available for purchase for \$35 during the session.

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